# **Historic, Archive Document**

Do not assume content reflects current scientific knowledge, policies, or practices.

-



THOMSEN NURSERY COMPANY Artistic Landscape Gardening and Hardy, Choice Nursery Stock (Canoe Camp) MANSFIELD, PENNA.

# Our Mail-Order Specials

While all the smaller sizes of plants in this Catalogue can be sent by mail, we have selected the following as especially suitable for mail-orders. We have, in the first column, mentioned the pages on which we offer them, that you may look there for full description.

Add, for postage and packing, 20 cts. for the first collection and 5 cts. extra for each additional collection (Delphinium seeds mailed free)

Page	additional concetion (Depinnum seeds manea nee)	Special Price	Price Regular
1	3 President Herbert Hoover in color on front cover		\$3.75
4	Collection: 6 New and Rare Roses		5.25
4	Collection: 6 Choice Hardy Roses		3.00
			3.50
5	3 Eblouissant; 1 Gloria Mundi		
5	1 Chaplin's Pink Climber; 1 Mme. Gregoire Staechelin		2.00
5	Collection: One each of 10 Climbing Roses listed		5.00
6	3 New Beauty Bush; 3 New Hardy Butterfly Bush, 5 to 8 in.		1.00
6	1 New Blood-leaved Japanese Maple, 8 to 12 in.	. 1.25	1.25
6	1 New Blood-leaved Cut-leaved Weeping Japanese Maple, 5 to 10 in		1.25
6	1 New Golden-leaved Japanese Maple, 4 to 8 in.		2.00
8	10 Japanese Barberry, 2-yr., 1 ft.	. 1.00	1.50
8	10 Hardy Shrubs, our selection, 1- and 2-yr., 1 to 2 ft.	. 2.00	
8	10 Lodense Privet, for edgings, 6 to 12 in	. 1.00	1.50
10	1 New Blue Spruce (Picea pungens moerbeimi), 4 to 8 in		
10	1 New Thomsen Blue Spruce, 3 to 5 in.		
10	3 Juniperus horizontalis glauca for spring delivery only, 3 to 5 in	1 25	
10	2 Juniperus squamata Meyeri, 5 to 10 in		
10	10 Canadian Hemlock, 6 to 12 in. (Seedling.)		
10	3 Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana, 5 to 10 in.		
	3 Juniperus depressa plumosa, 5 to 10 in.		
10			
10	3 Juniperus horizontalis (prostrata), 5 to 10 in.		
10	2 Juniperus Burki, 10 to 15 in.		
10	3 Mugho Pine, 6 to 10 in.		
10	3 Retinospora plumosa aurea, 5 to 10 in.		
10	3 Colorado Blue Spruce, 5 to 10 in., 4- to 5-yr.		
10	3 Norway Spruce, 5 to 10 in., 6-yr.		
10	3 Taxus cuspidata, 4 to 8 in		
11	10 Pachysandra terminalis, field-grown, 2-yr		
11	3 Azalea mollis, 5 to 10 in., 3 Azalea nudiflora, 1 to 2 ft		4.25
13	1 Blood-leaved Beech, 10 to 15 in	. 1.25	
13	1 Japanese Magnolia (M. soulangeana), 5 to 10 in	. 1.25	
14	Collection: 2 each of 5 Hardy Perennials illustrated (10 plants)	. 3.90	4.80
14	Collection: 1 each of 5 Hardy Perennials illustrated (5 plants)	. 2.10	2.40
15	1 pkt. Choice Hybrid Delphiniums (25 seeds)	25	
15	3 Scarlet Delphinium (D. nudicaule), for spring and later delivery		
15	3 Yellow Delphinium (D. zalil), for spring (1932) and later delivery		
15	Collection: 10 New and Rare Irises		5.20
15	Collection: 4 New and Rare Japanese Irises		1.40
15	Collection: 2 each of 3 different Lilies (6 bulbs)		2.10
15	2 New Burbank Poppy; 2 Olympia Poppy		3.00
17	Collection: 6 New and Rare Peonies		17.75
17	Collection: 10 German Irises in 10 varieties	1 65	2.00
17	Collection: 7 Peonies in 7 varieties	3.95	4.65
1/	Collection: 4 Peonies assorted, 1 Bleeding Heart (Surplus Offer)		3.65
17			
17	Collection: 10 Phloxes in 10 varieties	1.10	2.00
18 18	Collection: 10 Hardy Perennials, our selection		2.00
	Collection: 10 Hardy Rock-Garden Plants, our selection	. 1.20	2.00
18	Collection: 72 Gladiolus in 12 varieties.	4.00	5.76
18	Collection: 10 Sedums in 10 varieties	. 1.75	2.00
18	Collection: 10 Sempervivums in 5 varieties	1.75	2.00
18	2 Geranium, Karen Buus, from $2\frac{1}{2}$ -in. pots	1.25	1.50
19	Collection: 2 each of Iris illustrated (12 plants)	. 4.50	5.10



# Information for Customers

The great vogue for more beautiful home-surroundings which is sweeping the nation has demanded of nurserymen new and better varieties of Hardy Shrubs, Trees, and Flowers. To supply this demand, and because our hobby is new, rare, and better hardy plants, we offer in this Catalogue a large number of new and rare plants, which you will find listed first in each section, as well as choice Shrubs, Oriental Flowering Trees, Evergreens, Roses, Vines, Hardy Perennials, and Rock-Garden Plants—all especially selected for their beauty, fragrance, and hardiness. These are the product of our wide experience in the world's fairylands of flowers, and when seen in your garden are an evidence of good judgment and refined taste. A visit to our Nursery will convince you of the superior quality and beautiful varieties of our hardy plants.

We guarantee all plants to grow up to August 1, regardless of when they are planted, if the planting is done by us. If not planted by us, we guarantee them to arrive in good condition, just as represented, and true to name, but cannot guarantee growth, as we have no control over the after-care.

All prices are net. Freight and Express shipments are always sent collect. Parcel Post is paid by purchaser. For your convenience, we have made up a list of the Parcel Post charges on our mail-

order specials (see opposite page), on such plants as are especially suited to be sent by Parcel Post. Our Artistic Landscape Service is offered to all our customers within a reasonable distance from our Nursery. We will plant all, or part of, foundation plantings, rose-gardens, rock-gardens, lily-pools, perennial borders, etc., in such an artistic manner as is possible only because of our twenty years of intensive study and experience in the greatest flower-loving countries of the world.

# Hardy Field-grown Roses

The Rose is truly the "Queen of Flowers," as no other flower furnishes such beautiful and fragrant blooms from spring until late fall. The list we offer embraces as complete a range of colors as it is possible to bring together in the new and older varieties, together with freedom of blooming, perfect form, fragrance, and hardiness, and is the result of wide experience. Our plants are strong, 2-year, field-grown, and budded on Rosa multiflora understock, which insures extremely hardy Roses and prolific, long-lived bloomers, not to be compared with southern-grown stock or discarded greenhouse

stock so frequently offered at 10 to 25 cents, which will bring only disappointment. Fertilize your soil, before planting, with good rotted stable or cow-manure, or other suitable fertilizer. Roses will thrive in any good garden soil. Cut the top back to about 10 inches above the ground, and plant with the union just below the surface of soil. In late fall, hill the soil up 6 to 8 inches around the plant and cover it lightly with straw manure in the winter. Plant Baby Ramblers about 18 inches apart; Hybrid Tea and Hybrid Perpetual Roses about 2 feet apart; Climbing Roses, 4 to 6 feet apart. For mildew and black-spot, use Bordeaux Mixture; for chewing insects, use Black Leaf 40 or Arsenate of Lead.

# New and Rare Varieties

Following are some of our most beautiful new varieties which will give a splendid range of colors. 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3, except where noted

- Angele Pernet. Vivid coppery orange, shaded apricot; very fragrant. One of the handsomest. Dame Edith Helen. Vivid pink; perfect form;
- fragrant.
- **Etoile de Hollande.** Without doubt the finest dark red Rose, with long buds and perfect form. A rare gem in Roses.
- Lady Margaret Stewart. Deep orange, veined yellow and scarlet; delightfully sweet-scented.
- President Herbert Hoover. The greatest Rose sensation in years. Cerise-pink, flame, scarlet, and yellow—the most dazzling color combination imaginable. See front cover. \$1.25 each. Rev. F. Page-Roberts. Coppery red, turning to
- golden yellow.
- Talisman. One of the most popular Gold Medal Roses. Brilliant red buds open to golden yellow blooms, stained coppery red. \$1.00 each.



Angele Pernet



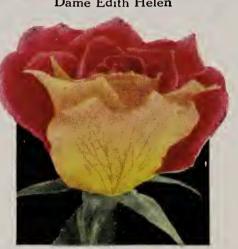
Dame Edith Helen



Eblouissant



Rev. F. Page-Roberts



Talisman



Etoile de Hollande

SPECIAL The above six New and Rare Roses, \$4.75 value for . . . . \$4.25 OFFER Six choice Hardy Roses pictured below, \$3.00 value for . . . \$2.65



White Ophelia



Mme. Caroline Testout



Sunburst



Gruss an Teplitz



Mme. Edouard Herriot



Frau Karl Druschki

# Choice Standard Varieties

Following are the choicest Hybrid Tea and Hybrid Perpetual Roses in the medium-price class. All were selected for their beautiful color, fragrance, and hardiness.

#### 50 cts. each, \$1.35 for 3 (of one variety)

- Duchess of Wellington. HT. Intense saffronyellow, stained crimson
- Frau Karl Druschki (Snow Queen). HP. The most beautiful white Rose ever produced. Extremely hardy and free-flowering. General MacArthur. HT. Deep, velvety scar-
- let; fragrant. Free-flowering.
- Gruss an Teplitz. HT. Intense decp velvety crimson. Always in flower. One of the finest red
- Roscs for bedding and mass planting. Hermosa. China. Produces masses of pink flowers all summer. Excellent for bedding. Jonkheer J. L. Mock. HT. Wonderful deep pink
- Rose with lighter edge. Fine cut-flower. Kaiserin Auguste Viktoria. HT. White flower
- of perfect form, tinted yellow at center. Fine for bedding and cutting.
- Lady Ashtown. HT. Clear pink, shaded yellow at base.
- Los Angeles. HT. Flame-pink, toned coralbeautiful color.
- Mme. Butterfly. HT. Brilliant pink, suffused apricot.

# **Baby Rambler Roses**

This distinct and charming class of Roses is low-growing and produces immense quantitics of small, perfectly formed flowers in large clusters all summer. Excellent for planting in masses and in front of other taller-growing Roses. Very beautiful if planted 18 inches apart in rows on each side of walks and driveways.

### Latest New and Rare Varieties

- Eblouissant. Dark crimson, with curiously curled and twisted petals. Low-growing and exceedingly handsome. 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3.
- Gloria Mundi. By far the most outstanding new introduction among Baby Rambler Roses for several years. It won well-deserved Gold Medals in Holland, France, England, and Belgium. The color is most outstanding, being a brilliant geranium-red, with salmon-orange shading and does not fade. \$1.50 each, \$4.00 for 3.

#### Choice Hardy Varieties

#### 50 cts. each, \$4.50 for 10, \$40.00 per 100

- Ellen Poulsen. Deep pink.
- Ideal. The darkest red of all Baby Ramblersan intense, rich, lustrous garnet. Exceedingly freeflowering all summer.

Katharina Zeimet. Fine; pure white. Orleans Rose. Small, double, pink flowers in great clusters all summer.

Ideal and Orléans Rose are both most suitable for mass planting along driveways and walks, as they grow uniformly low and bloom continuously from spring until late fall.

- Mme. Caroline Testout. HT. The best pure pink Rose for bedding and massing.
- Mme. Edouard Herriot. H7. Coral-red. Very beautiful. Fine cut-flower.
- Ophelia. HT. Salmon-flesh-pink, shaded rosepink.
- Paul Neyron. HP. Immense ruddy pink Rose. Vigorous grower.
- Pink Radiance. HT. Bright pink. Vigorous grower.
- Red Radiance. HT. Large, beautiful, dazzling crimson-scarlet Rose.
- Silver Columbia. HT. Clear pink, suffused with crimson. Very free-flowering.
- Souvenir de Claudius Pernet. HT. Very popular clear yellow Rose, with lighter edges. Buds often not perfectly formed, but deserves a place in every Rose-garden on account of its beautiful color.
- Sunburst. HT. Creamy yellow, shaded coppery orange. One of our best yellow Roses.

Ulrich Brunner. HP. Vivid cherry-red. Erect grower.

# **Climbing Rambler Roses**

This class of Roses is cspecially adapted for training along fences, trellises, pillars, or rambling over an old stump or stone-pile, transforming them into a sight beautiful beyond description. If you have a bank or large terrace, plant climbers for an astonishing and charming change.

# Latest New Varieties

#### \$1.00 each, \$2.50 for 3

- Chaplin's Pink Climber. A wonderful novelty with brilliant, clear pink flowers in large clusters.
- Vigorous grower with fine, dark, glossy foliage. Mme. Gregoire Staechelin. Beautiful Spanish introduction, with long, pointed flowers of a delicate pink, stained crimson. It has received the famous Gold Medal at the Bagatelle Garden in Paris.

### Choice Hardy Varieties

50 cts. each, \$4.50 for 10, \$40.00 per 100

Alberic Barbier. Beautiful yellow. Glossy foliage.

American Beauty. Large, deep pink flowers. American Pillar. Single, brilliant crimson-pink flowers.

Dorothy Perkins. Very popular. Clear pink. Dr. W. Van Fleet. Great favorite. Rich flesh-pink. Hiawatha. Single; deep ruby-red, white eye.

- Mary Wallace. Semi-double; large; clear rose-pink with salmon tint.
- Paul's Scarlet Climber. Without doubt the best deep red climber. Vigorous grower.
   Tausendschon (Thousand Beauties). Large clus-
- ters of dccp pink flowers. Nearly thornless.
- Veilchenblau. Very unique in its bluish color. Not especially pretty.

Cow-manure is the best fertilizer for Roses, and they like clay soil. They are easy to grow if kept clean of weeds and given cultivation equal to that of corn or cabbage

# Hardy Ornamental Shrubs

Ornamental Flowering Shrubs form the foundation of all landscape and foundation plantings. In the wide selection we offer are shrubs for all purposes, to aid you in beautifying your home. All are very strong, hardy, field-grown plants, grown right in our Nursery, freshly dug, and full of vitality.

## New and Rare Varieties

These are the very cream of all the new and rare shrubs in existence. They are unique in habit and beautiful in color. You will be proud to have some of these aristocrats in your garden.

New Blood-leaved Barberry. A splendid introduction of recent years. With its rich, lustrous, blood-red foliage, it is effectively used and very distinctive in shrubbery borders, hedges, or as single specimens on lawns. It becomes more brilliant as the season advances. Should be planted in full sunlight to produce richest color.

		3	
8 to 12 in	\$0.50	\$1 35	\$4 00
12 to 18 in.	75	2 10	6 50
18 to 24 in	1 00	2 85	9 00

New Beauty Bush (Kolkuitzia amabilis). This wonderful new shrub comes to us from the wilderness of China, and surprises all lovers of shrubs with its charming beauty. It is of erect growth, twiggy, with long, arehing branches covered in the spring with clusters of small, tubular abelialike flowers, borne in such great profusion that the bush is a cloud of delieate pink. Grows 6 to 8 feet high. You will want it.

reet mgm rou win want it.	Each	3
5 to 8 in	\$0 25	\$0 50
8 to 12 in	40	1 00
12 to 18 in	65	1 50
18 to 24 in	85	2 00
2 to 3 ft	1 25	3 00
3 to 4 ft	2 00	5 00



Philadelphus, Virginal

New Hardy Butterfly Bush (Buddleia alternifolia). This splendid new shrub, the hardiest Butterfly Bush ever introduced, does not freeze to the ground in winter like the older varieties. When in bloom it is a most charming and distinctive sight, with its long, arching branches eovered with lilac-purple flowers from midsummer until late fall. This beautiful and fascinating shrub is still exceedingly rare. Get one while it is new. It is only because of our large stock that we ean offer it at these low prices. Each 3

i oner it at these low pro	ces.	Each	- 3
5 to 8 in	\$	0 25 \$	0 50
8 to 12 in		40	1 00
2 to 18 in		65	1 50
8 to 24 in		· · ·	2 00
2 to 3 ft			
3 to 4 ft		2 00	5 00

- Daphne mezereum. An extremely rare, low, hardy shrub growing 3 to 4 feet high. It has deep reddish purple flowers along the stems in March, before the leaves appear; delightful, intense Oriental fragrance. 12 to 18 in., \$1.50 each.
- Laburnum vulgare (Golden Chain). An unusual and rare shrub, covered in spring with large clusters of golden yellow, wisteria-like flowers. 18 to 24 in., 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3; 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00 each.
- New Blood-leaved Japanese Maple. Magnificent plant of striking beauty with its blood-red foliage. Most effective as a specimen on the lawn. Grows 6 to 8 feet high. Color is richest when grown fully exposed to the sun. Scarce. 8 to 12 in., \$1.25 each, \$3.25 for 3, 12 to 18 in., \$3.00 each.
- New Blood-leaved Cut-leaved Weeping Japanese Maple. Very unusual, rare, and beautiful low-growing ornamental plant, with drooping branches and deeply cut, blood-red foliage. Bcautiful on the lawn as a specimen or, when young in the rock-garden. Grows 4 to 6 feet high. Color richest when planted in full sunlight. Extremely rare. 5 to 10 in., \$1.25 each, \$3.25 for 3; 10 to 15 in., \$2.00 each.
- New Golden-leaved Japanese Maple. A very eonspicuous, rare, dwarf tree with golden yellow foliage of striking beauty. Grows 3 to 4 feet high. *Extremely scarce.* 4 to 8 in., \$2.00 each.
- Philadelphus, Virginal. A splendid new Mock Orange and, without doubt, one of the most valuable. The double white flowers are 2 to 3 inches across, and extremely fragrant. A profuse bloomer which continues to produce its delightful flowers throughout the summer and autumn. 2 to 3 ft., 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3; 3 to 4 ft., \$1 each, \$2.50 for 3.

We will gladly make a landscaping plan for your property in order to obtain the finest planting effect for the least money. It will cost you nothing for this service



BEAUTY BUSH (KOLKWITZIA AMABILIS) The Wonderful Shrub. 25 cts. to \$2.00 each, according to size. See page 6



THE NEW BLOOD-LEAVED BARBERRY 50 cts. to \$1.00 each, according to size. See page 6



Bush Honeysuckle

- Butterfly Bush. Showy spikes of blue flowers in September. Freezes down to the ground every winter. Grows 3 to 5 feet high.
- Coral Berry (Symphoricarpos vulgaris). Quick-growing shrub with coral-red berries all winter. Will thrive in dry places. Grows 3 to 4 feet high. Cydonia japonica (Japanese Quince). Spreading,
- compact bush, with showy scarlet flowers in early spring. Yellow fruit. Grows 4 to 6 feet high.
- Deutzia scabra crenata rosea. Dainty, tasselshaped pink flowers, borne along the branches in June. Grows 5 to 6 feet high. Deutzia scabra, Pride of Rochester. Like above,
- but has white flowers. Very popular.
- Deutzia gracilis. Very pretty low shrub with white flowers. Grows 2 feet high.
   Dogwood, White-flowering (Cornus florida). Attractive tall shrub with white flowers in spring. Grows 20 feet high.
- Dogwood, Red-branched (C. sibirica). Upright, spreading growth. Red branches in winter. Blue berries. Grows 5 to 6 feet high.
- Elder, Golden-leaf. Its bright yellow foliage gives a most beautiful color-effect. Grows 8 to 10 feet high.

Forsythia (Golden Bell). Yellow flowers in very early spring. Very popular. Grows 4 to 6 feet high.

# Choice Hardy Shrubs

The Shrubs in the following list are the choicest, medium-priced, ornamental flowering varieties—all selected for their hardiness, beautiful flowers, fragrance, foliage, and berries. All have been grown in our Nursery and are strong, bushy, 3 to 4year plants for immediate effect. They average 3 to 5 feet in height, except a few of dwarf habit.

Except where noted, 50 cts. each, \$2.25 for 5

- Almond, Flowering. Beautiful, double pink or white flowers in spring, snuggled tight to the twigs. Grows 4 feet high. 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3
- Althea (Rose of Sharon). Discontinued as it is not hardy here.

Barberry (Berberis thunbergi). Discontinued as it is not hardy here.
Barberry (Berberis thunbergi). One of our best and hardiest shrubs for all purposes. Has bright red berries in winter. The green foliage turns deep red in the fall. Fine for shrub-borders and for covering banks. Makes the hardiest and most beautiful hedges. 2-yr. plants, 10 to 15 in., 15 cts. each, \$10.00 per 100; 3-yr., bushy plants, 20 cts. each, \$15.00 per 100.

- Honeysuckle, Morrow (Lonicera morrowi). Low, spreading shrub with cream-colored flowers in May, followed by beautiful red berries. Good for shady places. Grows 5 to 7 fect high.
- Honeysuckle, Tatarian (L. tatarica). White or red flowers, followed by red berrics. Very popular. Grows 8 to 10 feet high.
- Hydrangea, Hills of Snow. Large panicles of snow-white flowers in July. Grows 4 to 5 feet high.
- Hydrangea, P. G. Large panicles of white flowers in August and September, turning into a pink shade which lasts until late fall. Very popular. Grows 4 to 6 feet high.
- Lilac, Common (Syringa vulgaris). Mauve flowers in May. Grows 10 feet high.
- Lilac, French Hybrids. Very beautiful, dainty, double or single flowers in all colors, charming in their delicate beauty. We offer the best varieties only. 18 to 36 in., 75 cts. cach, \$2.00 for 3.
- Mock Orange, Golden-leaved. A compact, dwarf shrub, with golden yellow foliage and white flowers. Gives a beautiful color-effect. Grows 4 to 5 feet high.
- Mock Orange, Sweet (Philadelphus coronarius). Profusion of creamy white flowers in June and July. Grows 8 to 10 feet high.



Mock Orange



Hydrangea

Snowberry



# Special Offer: <sup>2</sup> each of above 5 varieties, \$4.50

- Privet, Lodense. New, Iow, compact-growing Privet especially adapted for edgings. Special price, 6 to 12-in. plants, 25 cts. each, \$10.00 per 100.
  Privet, Regel. Best Privet for hedges. Drooping
- Privet, Regel. Best Privet for hedges. Drooping habit. 12-in. plants, 25 cts. each, \$10.00 per 100; 18 to 24-in. plants, 50 cts. each, \$15.00 per 100.
  Prunus triloba (Flowering Plum). The hardiest and most beautiful of all early spring-flowering shrubs, the whole plant being decked in a glowing pland of double pink bloggeme like amall receipting. cloud of double pink blossoms, like small roses, before the leaves appear. Strong bushes, 2 to 4 ft., 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3; standard trees, for single specimens, 3 to 5 ft., \$1.00 each. **Pussy Willow, French Improved.** An new, im-proved type of Pussy Willow with large catkins, 2 to 3 inches long in winter. Fine for cutting
- 2 to 3 inches long, in winter. Fine for cutting. Heavy, 4 to 5-ft. plants, 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3. **Red-bud.** Small, rosy-pink flowers in spring. **Ribes aureum** (Slender Golden Currant). Fra-
- grant yellow flowers in May. Rosa hugonis. Long, arching sprays of single yellow flowers in May, making a gorgeous sight. Grows 5 to 7 feet high. 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3. Rosa rugosa. White and red single flowers all
- summer, followed by bright red fruit. Grows 4 to 6 feet high.
- Snowball, Arrow-wood. White flowers; blue berries. Grows 8 to 12 feet high.

- Snowball, Common. White, ball-shaped flowers in July. Grows 8 feet high.
  Snowball, Japanese. Double, white flowers. Very handsome. Grows 4 to 5 feet high. 2 to 3-ft. plants, 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3.
- Snowberry. Small pink flowers. White berries which remain all winter. Fine for shady and dry places. Grows 4 to 5 feet high.
- Spiræa, Anthony Waterer. Dwarf, bushy habit. Rose-crimson flowers in August. Grows 2 feet high.
- Spiræa prunifolia (Bridal Wreath). Upright shrub with shining, dark green foliage and masses of fine, double white flowers in June. Grows 5 to 6 feet high.
- Spiræa thunbergi. Dwarf-growing, with thin, Spiræa tindhörgi. Dwall-glownig, with tinn, slender, drooping branches and narrow foliage. White flowers in May. Grows 4 to 5 feet high.
   Spiræa vanhouttei. The most popular and beautiful shrub for all purposes. In May and June it is
- a mass of white flowers borne on graceful, arching branches. Beautiful for foundation planting, borders, and informal hedges. Grows 6 to 8 feet high.
- Weigela, Eva Rathke. Very fine shrubs with distinct and beautiful deep carmine-red flowers all summer. Grows 4 to 6 feet high.
- Weigela rosea. A beautiful pink variety. Grows 6 to 7 feet high.

New and Rare Hardy Plants MANSFIELD, PA. THOMSEN NURSERY CO., 10



Arborvitæs (back) Prostrate Juniper (front)

Globe Colorado Retinospora Arborvitæ Blue Spruce Pfitzer's Tuniper

Retinospora (back) American Pine (front)

**Evergreens** No other shrubs or trees are so well adapted for foundation planting as the Evergreens with their green, blue, or yellow foliage in winter when other shrubs and trees look bare. They are fine also for single specimen. All our Evergreens have been trimmed, sheared, and frequently transplanted, and consist of the hardiest varieties. Evergreens prefer an acid soil, preferably sandy. April and May and August and September are the best months in which to plant Evergreens.

### New and Rare Evergreens

These are all very handsome in color, unique in habit, and should be in every garden as an expression of good judgment and refined taste.

- New Moerheim Blue Spruce (Picea pungens moerbeimi). A wonderful improvement on the famous Koster's Blue Spruce, with its more dazzling silver-blue needles and perfect growth. Very rare. 4 to 8-in., grafted plants, 5-yr. roots, \$1.25 each, \$2.25 for 2; 18 to 24-in. specimens, \$10.00 each.
- Koster's Blue Spruce. Well-known Blue Spruce. Irregular growth. 2 to 3-ft. specimens, \$10.00 each.
- New Thomsen Blue Spruce. One of our many flower-loving friends sent us a small branch of this wonderful new sport of Koster's Blue Spruce, and we were surprised to note that the color was an even more intensc, dazzling, whitish silver-blue than the new Moerheim Blue Spruce, and the needles were longer and much heavier. When we saw this tree we were so delighted with the perfect, uniform-growing habit, superseding anything yet seen in this favorite specimen lawn tree, that we at once contracted for the exclusive propagation and distribution of this beautiful variety. We
- New Thomsen Blue Spruce, continued
- offer, this year, 3 to 5-in. plants from our first propagation, grafted on 5-yr. understock, at \$2.50 each, \$4.00 for 2; 5 to 8-in. plants, \$3.50 each, \$6.00 for 2.
- Juniperus horizontalis glauca. Very rare creeping varicty with intense blue color. Especially fine for rock-gardens. 18 to 24 in., \$2.75 each; 3 to 6-in. plants from pots, for spring (1932) and later delivery, 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.
- Juniperus squamata meyeri. A new and most striking Juniper with plum, pointed, and prickly leaves, shining in blue, white and reddish tones. Grows irregular spreading. Very unique. 5 to 10 in., 75 cts. each, \$1.25 for 2; 15 to 18 in., \$3.25 each; 2 to 3 ft., \$10.00 each.
- Yew, Japanese (Taxus media). New and very rare. Has dark green, heavy foliage, with needles beau-tifully arranged. Grows heavy, upright, slightly spreading. Strong 3 to 6-in. plants, 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3; old plants, 18 to 24 in., \$4.00 each.

### Choice Hardy Varieties

These comprise the hardiest and best varieties in a wonderful color-range.

- Arborvitæ, American. Handsome, rapid grower; will thrive under all conditions. It is resistant to city and town conditions and is one of the best evergreens for making formal evergreen hedges.
- 6 to 12 in., 50 cts. each; 1 to 2 ft., \$1.25; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$4.00.
  Arborvitæ, Globe. Popular globe-shaped type of the native Arborvitæ, and very ornamental when planted in pairs at the base of the planted in pairs at the base of the planted in pairs at the base of the planted in planted planted in pairs at the base of steps, or at the planted in pairs at the base of steps, or at the entrance to a walk, or anywhere that a planting accent is needed. 12 to 18 in., \$1.50 each.
  Arborvitæ, Pyramidal. Pyramidal growth. Very popular. 2 ft., \$1.25 each.
  Arborvitæ, Siberian. Broad, heavy growth; evtremely hardy. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.75 each.
  Arborvitæ spiralis. Compact, deep green, erect type. 2 to 3 ft. \$2.00 each

- type. 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00 each.

- Hemlock, Canadian. Most beautiful broad, coneshaped evergreen. 6 to 12 in., 65 ets. each; 12 to 18 in., \$1.00; 18 to 24 in., \$1.50; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$4.00; 5 to 7 ft., \$5.50. uniperus aurea. Golden foliage. Spreading.
- Juniperus aurea. 18 in., \$2.75 each.
- Juniperus Burki. Beautiful blue foliage. Heavy; pyramidal. 10 to 15 in., 75 cts. each, \$1.25 for 2; 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00 each.
- Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana. Hardiest and most beautiful. Spreading, upright. Very popular. 5 to 10 in., 40 cts. cach, \$1.00 for 3; 12 to 18 in., \$1.50 each; 18 to 24 in., \$2.50; 2 to 3 ft., \$3.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$5.50.
- Juniperus columnaris. Columnar growth. Gray-ish blue foliage. 2 to 3 ft., \$3.50 each; 4 to 5 ft., \$6.00; 5 to 6 ft., \$10.00.

#### CHOICE HARDY EVERGREENS, continued

- Juniperus communis depressa plumosa. Beautiful trailing evergreen. Bluish foliage. 5 to 10 in., 40 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3; 12 to 18 in., \$1.00 each; 18 to 24 in., \$1.75.
- Juniperus communis hibernica (Irish Juniper). Popular. Erect, columnar. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.75 each; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.75.
- Juniperus excelsa stricta. Heavy, pyramidal. Bluish green foliagc. 10 to 15 in., \$1.00 each; 15 to 18 in., \$2.00; 2 to 2½ ft., \$3.25.
  Juniperus prostrata. Prostrate evergreen. Dark green foliage. 5 to 10 in., 40 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3; 12 to 18 in., \$1.00 each; 18 to 24 in., \$1.75.
- Juniperus sabina. Low to medium in height; spreading. Dark green foliage. 5 to 10 in., 40 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3; 12 to 18 in., \$1.50 each; 18 to 24 in., \$2.75.
- **Pine, Mugho.** Dwarf; heavy. Dark green needles. 5 to 10 in., 40 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3; 12 to 18 in., \$1.50 cach; 18 to 24 in., \$3.00.
- Retinospora plumosa aurea. Heavy; pyramidal. Golden tinted foliage. 5 to 10 in., 40 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3; 15 to 18 in., \$1.00 each; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.25; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.50; 5 to 6 ft., \$11.00.
  Spruce, Colorado Blue. Selected blue specimens. Popular. 12 to 18 in., \$3.00 each; 18 to 24 in., \$4.50. Green plants, 5 to 10 in., 40 cts each, \$1.00 for 3; 12 to 15 in., \$1.25 each.
  Spruce, Norway. Popular and a rapid grower. Beautiful for single specimens, backgrounds, and

11

- Beautiful for single specimens, backgrounds, and for live Christmas Trees. 6 to 12 in., 25 cts. each, \$1.00 for 5; 12 to 18 in., 75 cts. each; 18 to 24 in., \$1.00; 2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.00; 4 to 5 ft., \$2.75.
- Taxus brevifolia (Dwarf Japanese Yew). Deep green; spreading. 4 to 8 in., 40 cts., \$1.00 for 3; 12 to 18 in., \$2.75 each.
- **Taxus cuspidata.** Upright; spreading. Dark green foliage. 5 to 8 in., 40 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3; 18 to 24 in., \$2.75 each; 2 to 3 ft., \$4.00.

# Broad-leaved Evergreens and Azaleas

To this class belong, perhaps, the choicest hardy plants in existence. In spring and summer they give us a lavish display of unusual flowers of rare beauty. They are splendid for foundation plantings, borders, and rock-gardens. As they demand an acid soil, use Peat Moss or wood-soil for best results.

- Azalea, New Kaempferi Hybrids. A famous hybridizer in Europe produced this wonderful Azalea. It is hardy everywhere and ranges in color from light rose to dark red. A prize-winner in Europe and the United States wherever shown. We are glad to offer these choice plants at prices within the reach of everybody. Strong, bushy, blooming-size (12 to 18 in.) plants, \$3.50 each.
- Azalea calendulacea. Golden flame flowers. 2 to 4 ft., \$2.00 each.
- Azalea mollis. Wonderful Japanese variety ranging in color from yellow-flame to brick-red. 12 to 18 in., \$2.00 each. 5 to 10-in. plants, 3 for \$1.25.
- Azalea nudiflora. Very handsome. Pink. 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00 each. 1 to 2 ft., \$1.00 cach.
- zalea Yodogawa. Dcep purple; double. Very rare. 12 to 18 in., \$3.50 each. Azalea
- Cotoneaster horizontalis. Fine trailing rock-garden evergreen. Red berries in winter. 5 to 10 in., 50 cts. each; 10 to 15 in., \$1.25 each.
- Daphne cneorum. Dwarf evergreen for rock-gardens. Delightful, fragrant, rosy lilae flowers in May, June and August. 3 to 5 in., 40 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3; 5 to 7 in., 75 cts. each; 8 to 10 in., \$1.25.

- Heather. Rare rockery evergreen with pink flowers. 75 cts. each.
- Laurel, Mountain. Pinkish white flowers in June and July. Very beautiful. 6 to 12 in., \$1.00 each; 12 to 24 in., \$2.00; 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00.
  Leucothoe catesbæi. Graceful, drooping plants with white, bell-shaped flowers. 1 to 2 ft., \$1.25 each; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00.
  Pachycandra terminalia. Low every plants
- Pachysandra terminalis. Low evergreen plants with white flowers in May. Grows 8 to 10 inches high. Fine for ground-cover. 20 cts. each, 50 cts. for 3, \$12.00 per 100.
- Pieris floribunda. Waxy white flowers in spring. 12 to 18 in., \$2.00 each.
- Rhododendron carolinianum. Dcep pink flowers. 1 to 2 ft., \$2.00 each; 2 to 3 ft., \$3.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.50.
- Rhododendron catawbiense. Lavender-pink flowers in June. 1 to 2 ft., \$2.00 each; 2 to 3 ft., \$3.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.50.
- Rhododendron maximum. Large, waxy white flowers. 1 to 2 ft., \$2.00 each; 2 to 3 ft., \$3.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$4.50.

Prices on Hybrid Rhododendrons on application. Plant Rhododendrons in a shady place, protected from winds. Use plenty of Peat Moss. We sell large 200-pound bales (20 bus.) at \$3.75.

# Vines

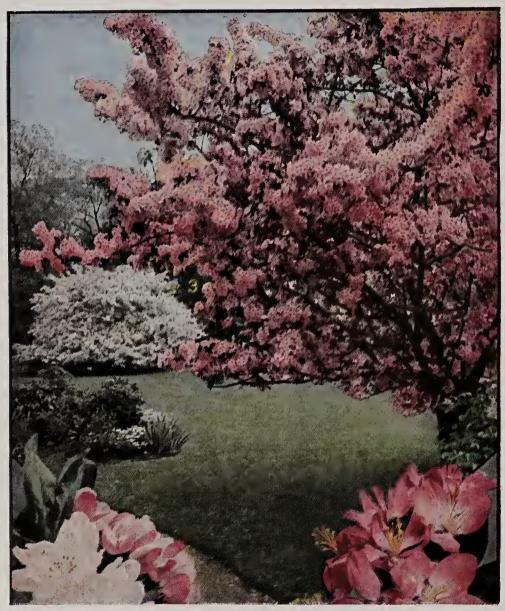
Vines always add grace and beauty when covering an embankment, screening a porch, shading a window, clambering over an arched gateway, along fences, over stumps, or the summer-house.

#### All Vines, except where noted, 50 cts. each, \$4.50 for 10

- Bittersweet. Yellow flowers; red berries in winter. Clematis jackmani. Large, beautiful, dainty velvety purple flowers in early summer.
- Clematis paniculata. Delicate white, fragrant flowers.

- Climbing Roses. See page 5. Dutchman's Pipe. Yellowish green, pipe-shaped flowers. Makes a perfect screen. 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3.
- Honeysuckle, Hall's. Very fragrant white flowers. Almost evergreen. Fine for covering embankments.
- Ivy, Boston. Clings firmly to the smoothest surface. Charming in fall when leaves turn bright red.
- Trumpet Vine. Brilliant orange-scarlet, trumpet-shaped flowers in July and August. Grows rapidly.
- Only evergreen Wintercreeper, Evergreen. climber that is hardy here. Showy red berries in winter.
- Wisteria sinensis. Purple-bluc flowers in great clusters in June and July. Our plants will bloom. 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3.

# Oriental Flowering Crabs (Malus)



Oriental Flowering Crab

Niedzwetzkyana. Unique with its purplish foliage and deep pink flowers.

Scheideckeri. Large, double, pink flowers. Beauti-ful small fruit. Vigorous grower, making it well adapted for street-planting and single specimens on lawns. Free-flowering.

# Japanese Flowering Cherry

These beautiful flowering trees are well known for their wonderful display of blooms each spring at our National Capital.

#### 4 to 5 ft., \$2.50 each, \$7.00 for 3

Amanogawa (Milky Way). Unique, columnar form. Flowers semi-double, lovely pink.Fujizan (Mount Fuji). Large, double, pure white

- flowers.
- Kofugen. Crimson to deep pink, double flowers. Sekizan (Sacred Gate). Very double; deep pink. Fine for gateways.
- Shidare-higan (Japanese Weeping Cherry). This weeping form makes a most beautiful specimen lawn tree. Flowers are single, deep pink, and come very early.

There is a lure, mystery, and secret thrill embodied in growing these wonderful, fragrant Oriental flowering trees. These "aristocrats" are indescribably beautiful when planted in groups of four to six, also as single specimens on lawns, and as background for shrub borders. They cannot be too highly recommended as they are perfectly hardy everywhere. In addition to the lovely flowers in all colors, they also have beau-tifully colored fruit which attracts the birds.

	Each	3
3 to 4 ft	\$0 75	\$2 00
4 to 5 ft	1 25	3 25
5 to 6 ft	1 75	4 75
6 to 8 ft		6 90

- Perfect specimen plants of Scheideckeri, 8 to 10 ft., \$4.00.
- Atropurpurea. Very beautiful, with deep purplish red flowers followed by ornamental fruit.
- Floribunda. Profusion of delicatc rosy red flowers. Forms a nice small tree.
- Halliana parkmani. Deep rose, semi-double flowers.
- Ioensis bechteli. The most popular and handsomest of all the Double-flowering Crabs. Flowers delicate pink, just like small roses. Small, spreading tree.



Bechtel's Double-flowering Crabs

# Other New and Rare Flowering Trees

Following are some of our choicest rare trees that will provide a wonderful flower display. Start some of them, and you will have something you will not find in every garden-an expression of refined taste.

- Beech, Blood-leaved. One of the finest blood-leaved trees grown. Ultimate height, 40 feet. Small plants, 10 to 18 in., \$1.25 each.
  Dogwood, Red-flowering (Cornus florida rubra).
- Splendid ornamental flowering tree covered with
- pinkish red flowers in spring. 3 to 4 ft., \$3.00 each. Dogwood, Red-flowering Golden Variegated-leaved (Cornus Welchii). Grows and flowers like above, but has beautiful yellow variegated leaves with red suffusion. Beautiful tree all season. Very rare. 3 to 4 ft., \$3.75 each.
- Hawthorn, Paul's Scarlet. Rich, brilliant, double scarlet flowers. Grows 20 feet high. 4 to 5 ft., \$2.00 each.
- **Magnolia**, Japanese (Magnolia soulangeana). One of the finest of all the Oriental flowering trees, with a ravishing display of large, purplish-white flowers in early spring. Grows 10 to 14 feet high. 6 to 10 in., \$1.25 each; 1 to 2 ft., \$2.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$6.00.
- Magnolia, Japanese (M. Nigra). Beautiful deep purple flowers. 1 to 2 ft., \$3.00 each.

# Shade Trees

Shade Trees are necessary to make the right setting for a home and to give you the shade so essential for real comfort and charm.

- Birch, White Cut-leaved. Drooping habit, finely cut leaves, and white bark. 6 to 8 ft., \$3.00 each.
- cut leaves, and white bark. 6 to 8 ft., \$3.00 each.
  Elm, American. Native tree of great strength and grace. 8 to 10 ft., \$2.00 each; 10 to 12 ft., \$3.00.
  Maple, Silver-leaf. Rapid-growing, graceful tree. 6 to 8 ft., \$1 each; 8 to 10 ft., \$1.50; 10 to 12 ft., \$2.
  Maple, Norway. Handsome, broad, deep green foliage. 6 to 8 ft., \$2.50 each; 8 to 10 ft., \$3.50.
- Mountain-Ash, European. A most satisfactory and handsome ornamental tree, with fern-like foliage and very large clusters of dark red berries in late summer and winter. Medium grower. Unusually ornamental and, without doubt, one of our very finest shade trees for all purposes. 5 to 6 ft., \$1.00 each; 6 to 8 ft., \$1.75; 8 to 10 ft., \$2.75.



Japanese Flowering Cherry Trees



Trollius. New Hybrids. \$1.00 each



Gaillardia. 20 cts. each



Coreopsis. 20 cts. each



Burbank's First Prize Delphinium. 50 cts. each



Aquilegia (Columbine). Burbank's New Hybrids. 50 cts. each

**COLLECTION:** <sup>2</sup> each of above 5 Perennials (10 plants), for **\$3.90**, regular price **\$4.80** 1 each of above 5 Perennials (5 plants), for **\$2.10**, regular price **\$2.40** 

# Hardy Perennials and Rock-Garden Plants

We are glad that we are able to offer you such a wide variety in the most wonderful hardy perennials and rockery plants, which can be used for many different purposes. A large number of rockgarden plants have been added to this list in order to comply with the ever-increasing demand for these choice alpine plants with which to obtain that ever-changing pageant of indescribable beauty that a correctly made rock-garden will give. Think of the thrill in making a rock-garden, with picturesque trailing plants climbing over large stones, down to a small pool, or along a small stream.

All our hardy plants are grown under ideal conditions, producing healthy well-rooted specimens of extreme hardiness, as we are located 2000 feet above sea-level. A star (\*) in front of a name indicates that plant is suitable for rock-gardens and perennial borders, while two stars (\*\*) indicate strictly low alpine plants for rock-gardens only.

### New and Rare Hardy Plants

This section contains the most beautiful hardy perennials and rock-plants that it has been possible to produce. We have spared no effort nor money to gather and grow such a wide range of the very cream of all hardy plants, and are pleased to have a list of loyal flower-lovers who stand back of us, making it possible for us to maintain our policy.

- **\*\*Campanula fragilis.** Trailing rock-plants, with large, pale blue flowers. 35 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3. Christmas Rose (*Helleborus niger*). Very interesting and rare plant having waxy white flowers, flushed
- and rare plant having waxy white howers, hushed with purple, from December to March. Leaves ever-green. \$1.00 each, \$2.50 for 3. Chrysanthemum, New Korean. Large, white, daisy-like flowers, with golden center turning to claret-pink. Very hardy and will bloom from October to December. 2 ft. Extra-large plants, 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3 \$1.25 for 3.
- Columbine, Burbank's New Hybrid. Rarely lovely, superseding anything yet seen in Columbines. 2 ft., 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.

#### Choice Delphinium Hybrids and Species

For years we have been specializing in Delphiniums, and have succeeded in gathering the choicest hybrids and species from all over the world, developing a col-lection that we believe unsurpassed in beauty and color. Our list includes blues, pinks, scarlets, yellows, and whites, some with flowers measuring 3 inches and more. Delphiniums require a rich, well-drained, sweet soil. Therefore, use plenty of fertilizer and lime.

- Advancement. A new introduction from England where it is claimed to be the finest pink "Delph" grown. Pale blue guards, inner one a glistening phlox-pink. The "Rolls-Royce" of Delphiniums.
  Burbank's First Price Delphinium. This strain competes with the finest and comes in a color-range rarely seen. 4 to 6 ft., 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.
  Coquette. Intense deep blue, shaded violet.
  Glory of Mansfield. Soft creamy pink, with a very soft bluish cream base. Brown "bee." Flewers up to 3 inches or more across. \$2.00 each, \$5.00 for 3.
  Golden Gleam. Fine canary-yellow with darker

- Golden Gleam. Fine canary-yellow with darker yellow "bee." \$3.00 each, \$5.00 for 3. Summer Cloud. A very delicate white with brown
- "bee.
- **Towering Jewel.** Immense, double, light blue flowers with pink markings. Blooms measure 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches across.
- Nudicaule. Unique scarlet flowers. California type. 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.
  Zalil. Beautiful yellow flowers. Persian type. 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.

All the above varieties in strong, pot-grown plants for spring (1932) and later delivery only, except where noted, \$1.00 each, \$2.50 for 3.

Strong, field-grown plants of Advancement, Towering Jewel, Summer Cloud, \$1.50 each, \$4.00 for 3.

SPECIAL OFFER: One each of above 9 varieties, \$10.00

SEEDS. Due to the urgent demand from many Delphinium enthusiasts, we sell seed of all the varieties above, separate or mixed (except Golden Gleam and Glory of Mansfield), at 25 cts. per pkt. of 25 seeds, except Nudicaule and Zalil which contain 50 seeds per pkt.

\*Corydalis cheilanthifolia. Lovely rare rockery plant, with fern-like foliage and yellow spikes of flowers in May. Very unique. 10 in., 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.

15

- \*\*Cotula squalida. A rare and unique rockery plant, with brownish red, fern-like foliage. Especially adapted for growing between stepping-stones, as it will make a thick rug within a few years. 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.
- Gaillardia grandiflora, Dazzler. Golden yellow flower with maroon center; measure 3 inches across.

Portola Hybrids. Immense brilliant scarlet flowers, with coppery and golden yellow tints. **Tangerine.** Compact; distinct tangerine color.

All Gaillardia Hybrids, 35 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3

**Gypsophila, Bristol Fairy.** New. An improvement of the old double variety. Large panicles of pure white flowers all season. 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.

#### German Iris

A rare selection of the finest and highest rated varieties.

All German Irises, 40 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3, except where noted Alcazar. 8.9. Light bluish violet; purple falls.
Ambassadeur. 9.4. Purple with maroon.
Ballerine. 9.0. Light violet-blue. 75 cts. each.
Empress of India. 8.1. Soft violet-blue.
Lent A. Williamson. 9.6. Violet with royal purple.
Mother of Pearl. 8.4. Pale bluish flower.
Princess Beatrice. 9.5. Clear lavender-blue.
Seminole 8.3. Best deep red Iris. 65 cts. each

- Seminole. 8.3. Best deep red Iris. 65 cts. each. Shekinah. 8.4. Clear yellow. Finest yellow Iris.
- Souv. de Mme. Gaudichau. Deep purple. \$1.00 each.

COLLECTION: One each of above 10 Irises, \$4.00

#### Japanese Iris

A magnificent class greatly treasured by the Japanese people. Following are the choicest varieties:

Gold Bound. Pure white with gold. Double. Mahogany. Purple-mahogany-red. Double. Purple and Gold. Rich violet-purple. Double.

Universe. Blue with golden center.

All Japanese Irises, 35 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10

- Lilium auratum (Japanese Gold-banded Lily). Ivorywhite, studded brownish crimson, with golden bands. Lilium candidum (Madonna Lily). Grand old Grand old
- favorite. Pure white. Lilium regale. Rare gem from China. White, yellow center, shaded rose. Very popular and hardy.

All Lilies, exhibition size, 35 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3

Medium size of Madonna Lilies only, 20 cts. each, 50 cts. for 3 Lupin, Sunshine. Golden yellow. Rare.

Lupin, Moerheim (Lupinus polyphyllus moerheimi). Beautiful soft pink.

Both Lupins, 35 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3

#### **Peony Novelties**

These varieties are the highest rated Peonies scored by the American Peony Society in their various colors. The number after the name is the rating, 10 being perfect. They represent the pure diamonds in Peonies.

- Fuyajo. 9.3. Perhaps the highest rated of all the Fuyajo. 9.3. Perhaps the highest rated of all the Japanese Peonies. Intense deep red with golden stamens. \$3.75 each.
  Le Cygne. 9.9. The highest rated Peony, and the most perfect white that can be produced. \$5.00 each.
  Longfellow. 9.0. Best brilliant red. \$2.25 each.
  Primevere. 8.6. Creamy yellow. Finest yellow Peony.
- \$2.50 each.
- Solange. 9.7. Waxy white, shaded with golden orange. \$2.25 each. Therese. 9.8. Finest soft pink. \$2.00 each.

SPECIAL OFFER: One each of the above 6 Peonies, \$16.00

Phlox, Homeland. New. Finest brilliant red. 35 cts. each, \$1.00 for 3.

- each, \$1.00 for 3.
  Phlox, Pink Beauty. For a long time Miss Lingard was the only Phlox that bloomed from early June to October but finally hybridizers have succeeded in creating a pink Phlox of the same type, with dark, shining leaves and beautiful rich pink blooms. Extremely rare. \$2.00 each, \$5.00 for 3.
  Poppy, Burbank's New Everblooming. One of Burbank's finest creations in hardy plants. It is a
- Burbank's finest creations in hardy plants. It is a cross between the Perennial Oriental Poppy and Annual Peony-flowering Poppy, resulting in a strain of single Perennial Everblooming Poppies with enormous flowers on long stems, varying in all shades from red to orange. Blooms during the whole season. \$1.00 each, \$2.50 for 3.
- **Poppy, Olympia.** A rare double variety of vigorous, compact growth. Blooms more than any other variety, with flowers 4 inches across. Color is a bright flame-scarlet, overlaid with crimson. 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.
- Sedum spectabile foliis aureis variegatis. A very
- Sedum spectabile foliis aureis variegatis. A very beautiful Sedum with yellow-green variegated leaves and pink flowers. 50° cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.
  Trollius, New Hybrids. A wonderful new strain of great beauty, both for its enormous size and colorrange—from light yellow to deep reddish orange. Blooms in May and June, and if cut will bloom again. \$1.00 each, \$2.50 for 3.
  Viola cornuta, Apricot. New and rare apricot-color Viola. Very prolific bloomer. 30 cts. each, \$1.00 for 4. \$18.00 per 100.
- 4, \$18.00 per 100.
- Yucca filamentosa. ucca filamentosa. A most exquisite plant with large, long leaves and majestic spikes of white flowers. 4-yr. plants, 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.

# **Choicest Standard Varieties**

In the following list are the finest Hardy Perennials and Rock-Garden Plants obtainable, and they will give you a magnificent display of beautiful flowers wherever planted. Although planting can be done almost as long as the ground is open, August, September, and October, and April and May are preferable. One star (\*) indicates rockery plants and perennials, while two stars (\*\*) denote trailing rockery plants only.

All, except where noted, 20 cts. each, 50 cts. for 3 (of 1 kind) \$15.00 per 100

- Alyssum saxatile compacta (Rock Madwort).
- mass of bright yellow flowers in early spring. 1 ft. nchusa italica, Dropmore (Alkanet). Tall Anchusa spikes of beautiful blue flowers, like huge forgetme-nots. 4 to 5 ft.
- Anemone japonica (Japanese flower), Queen Charlotte. pink flowers in the fall. 2 ft. (Japanese Anemone; Wind-Fine semi-double
- Anemone japonica rubra. Like above, with rosy red flowers.
- Anemone japonica, Whirlwind. Double; white. 2 to 3 ft.

All these Japanese Anemones should be well covered in the winter with straw or manure.

CHOICEST STANDARD VARIETIES, continued

- \*\*Arabis alpina (Rock Cress). Masses of pure white flowers. A fine rock-plant. \*\*Arenaria montana (Sandwort). Close tufts of
- star-like white flowers in June. 3 to 4 in.
- \*Armeria formosa (Thrift). Rosy red, round heads, Armeria formosa (Thint). Rosy led, found heads, borne on long stems in June, July and later. 2 ft. Artemisia, Silver King (Sage Brush). A most beautiful white-leaved plant. Fine for color-effect
- and cutting. 3 ft.
- \*\*Aster alpinus. Dwarf. White and blue flowers in May and June. 4 to 8 in.

#### Hardy Asters

- A fine fall-flowering class of plants.
- Blue Gem. Rich blue flowers. 3 ft.

Climax. Large spikes of lavender-blue flowers. Mons. Distinct reddish violet. 3 to 4 ft.

- St. Egwin. Pleasing rosy pink. 2 to 3 ft.
- \*\*Aubrietia Hybrids (False Wall-Cress). Most dainty rock-plant with violet-rose-red flowers. 3 to 4 in. \*\*Campanula carpatica (Rock Canterbury Bells).
  - Compact tufts of blue flowers on long stems. 8 in. Campanula medium (Canterbury Bells). Double
  - and single, in many beautiful colors. Campanula medium calycanthema (Cup and Saucer). Semi-double flowers in all colors. 2 ft. Cerastium tomentosum (Snow-in-Summer).
- \*\*Cerastium Trailing plants with silvery white foliage. White flowers in masses. 8 to 12 in. hrysanthemum, Korean. White, daisy-like
  - Chrysanthemum, flowers with golden centers.
  - Cimicifuga racemosa (Snakeroot). Pure white flowers in July and August. Thrive in shade. 4 to 6 ft.
  - **Columbine, Mrs. Scott Elliott's Hybrids.** One of the daintiest of all outdoor flowers in all colors. 2 to 3 ft.
- Coreopsis lanceolata grandiflora (Tickseed). Large, bright yellow, daisy-like flowers from June until fall. 2 to 3 ft.
   \*\*Daisy, English. Beautiful, double white, pink, and red flowers all summer. 4 in.
   Daisy Shasta Large pure white flowers Very
- **Daisy, Shasta.** Large, pure white flowers. Very popular.
- Delphinium belladonna. Light blue flowers on long spikes. 3 to 5 ft. Delphinium bellamosum. Dark blue; long spikes.
- to 5 ft.
- Delphinium, Blackmore and Wrexham Strain. Comprises the most beautiful shades, from deepest indigo-blue and royal purple, with pink and lavender included, borne on immense spikes in June and later. 4 to 6 ft. Delphinium, Gold Medal Hybrids. This strain
- has been greatly admired for many years. Many colors. 3 to 5 ft.
- \*\*Dianthus deltoides (Maiden Pinks). Lovely rockplants with narrow leaves and bright crimson flowers in June and July. 6 in. **Dicentra spectabilis** (Bleeding-Heart). An old-fashioned but admirable plant with heart-shaped
- Iashioned but admirable plant with heart-shaped pink flowers in May. 2 ft.
  Digitalis, Giant Shirley (Foxglove). Beautiful bell-shaped flowers in all colors, borne on long spikes in June and July. 5 to 6 ft.
  \*\*Edelweiss (Leontopodium). A pretty unique alpine plant with gray leaves and starred head of leaves, clothed with a dense woolly substance. 4 to 6 in.
  \*\*Erinus alpinus. Most beautiful rock-plants, with rosettes of foliage and rose-purple flowers in lung

- \*\*Euonymus, Colorado. A trailing evergreen plant with glaucous foliage. Large plants, 50 cts. each, \$1.25 for 3.
- \*\*Festuca glauca (Blue Fescue Grass). Silver-blue grass. 5 to 8 in.
   Funkia (Plantain Lily). White flower. Large leaves.
- Like wet places and shade. 1 to 2 ft. Gaillardia grandiflora. Very beautiful, large,
- daisy-like yellow flowers with maroon centers borne all summer. Fine cut-flower. 2 ft.

# CHOICEST STANDARD VARIETIES OF PERENNIALS, continued

\*Geum, Mrs. Bradshaw (Avens). Large, double, fiery red flowers all summer. 18 in. \*Geum, Lady Stratheden. Like above, but with

- golden yellow blooms. 18 in. Gypsophila paniculata (Baby's Breath). A mass of small white flowers in July and August. 2 to 3 ft.
- \*\*Helianthemum mutabile (Rock Rose). Low-growing evergreen plant, covered with lilac-pink flowers in July and August. 8 to 12 in.
  Heliopsis pitcheriana (Hardy Zinnia). Deep yel-low, zinnia-like flower. Good for cutting and for roles offset in August and Santambar when the
  - color-effect in August and September when but few flowers are in bloom. 3 to 4 ft.
- Hibiscus (Giant-flowering Marshmallow). Strong- arge spikes of single and double blooms. 5 to 8 ft.
   \*\*Iberis sempervirens (Hardy Candytuft). A very fine evergreen rock-plant covered with white
- fine evergreen rock-plant, covered with white flowers in spring. 8 to 10 in. \*\*Iris cristata. Dainty creeping species, with blue flowers. 4 in.
- \*Iris pumila. Admirable small Iris with blue and yellow flowers in May. Fine rock-plant. 4 to 8 in.

#### Iris germanica (German Iris)

These popular flowers are unexcelled in beauty for cut-flowers as well as garden plants. Our selection is the finest at a medium price.

- Fairy. Beautiful. White, fragrant, orchid-like. Flavescens. Light yellow. Strong grower. Iris King. Clear lemon-yellow. Juniata. Large; deep blue. Very fine. Mme. Chereau. Frilled; white with blue edges.

Pallida Dalmatica. Lavender-blue. Quaker Lady. Dark blend.

- Queen of May. Fine light pink. Rhein Nixe. White with violet-blue edge.
- Sherwin Wright. Rich dark yellow.
  - SPECIAL OFFER: One each of above 10 Irises, \$1.65

#### Iris, Japanese

A most beautiful type of Iris, with the most exquisite flowers in July. Finest mixture.

- Lathyrus latifolius (Hardy Sweet Pea). Beautiful climbing or trailing variety. Flowers in various colors.
- Liatris pycnostachya (Blazing Star). Long, nar-row, deep purple spikes in August and September. 3 to 4 ft.
- \*\*Lily-of-the-Valley. Very popular. Pretty racemes of pure white flowers in May. Likes shade. 6 in.
  \*\*Linaria cymbalaria (Mother of Thousands). A
- charming, lavender-purple, trailing, hardy rock-
- \*Linum perenne. Flowers pale blue, on slender, graceful stems. 8 to 12 in.
  Lupinus polyphyllus. Long spikes of fine peashaped flowers on stems 3 to 4 feet high in June.
  Lupinus polyphyllus albus. Like above, but with white flowers
- white flowers
- \*Myosotis oblongata (Forget-me-not). Well-known;
- \*Nepeta mussini (Catmint; Ground Ivy). Very beautiful plants of dwarf, compact habit, producing masses of the loveliest lavender-blue flowers in June and July. Excellent for rockery, ground-cover, and fine for along driveways. 12 in.
   \*Pachysandra terminalis (Japanese Spurge). New
- \*\*Pachysandra terminalis (Japanese Spurge). New trailing evergreen plant with bright, glossy leaves.
- Fine as ground-cover and for shady places. 8 in. \*Papaver nudicaule (Iceland Poppy). Very elegant double and single flowers, ranging from pure white to deep orange. 12 in.
- \*Papaver orientale (Oriental Poppy). Immense, crimson-scarlet, cup-shaped flowers in May and June. Very popular. 2 to 3 ft.

#### Peonies

The collection here offered contains some of the choicest of the medium-priced varieties in a wide range of colors. They produce beautiful flowers in May and June, and will grow anywhere without much care.

Albatre. Milk-white, shaded ivory, tinged lilac. \$1.00 each.

Couronne d'Or. Immense; imbricated; snowy white. 50 cts. each.

Edulis Superba. Clear mauve-pink. 50 cts. each. Felix Crousse. Large; brilliant red. 65 cts. each. Festiva Maxima. The finest pure white. 50 cts. each. Karl Rosenfield. Rich velvety red. 75 cts. each. Mme. Ducel. Beautiful silvery pink. 75 cts. each.

SPECIAL COLLECTION: One each of above 7 varieties, \$3.95

#### Hardy Phlox

These beautiful, fall-flowering, hardy plants are among our choicest Perennials, and the following come in a wide range of colors.

- B. Compte. Rich satiny amaranth flowers. Bridesmaid. Light pink with darker center. Eclaireur. Carmine-violet-red, pink center. Europe. White, changing to bluish in center. Jules Sandeau. Dwarf; large; pure pink. Miss Lingard. Very early; white with pink eye. Mrs. Jenkins. Pure white. Very fine. Pantheon. Clear deep pink with faint center. Rheinlander. Large; soft salmon-pink. Thor. Rich salmon-pink, crimson eye. SPECIAL COLLECTION: One each of above 10 Phlox

SPECIAL COLLECTION: One each of above 10 Phlox, \$1.75

- \*\*Phlox subulata (Moss Pink). Low; spreading; pink
- flowers in early spring. 4 to 6 in. \*\*Phlox subulata lilacina. Like above, but with blue flowers. 4 to 6 in.
- \*Physalis francheti (Chinese Lantern Plant). Bright orange-scarlet, lantern-like fruits which, when cut,

- orange-scarlet, lantern-like fruits which, when cut, will last the whole winter. 2 ft.
  \*Pinks, Hardy. Very sweet and fragrant white and pink flowers in June and July. 12 in.
  \*\*Primula auricula. Rosettes of thick leaves. Flowers in all colors on stalks 5 to 8 inches high.
  \*\*Primula veris (English Primrose). Fine red and yellow flowers in spring.
  Pyrethrum hybridum (Painted Daisy). Desirable daisy-like flowers in May and June in all colors. 2 to 3 ft.
- \*\*Saponaria ocymoides (Soapwort). A most beautiful rock-plant, with spreading and trailing habit and rosy flowers. 8 to 12 in. Scabiosa caucasia. Very handsome blue flowers on
  - long stems. 18 in.

#### Sedum (Stonecrop)

A class of plants especially adapted for rock-gardens They come in a wonderful range of color, both in flow ers and foliage, mostly evergreens. No rock-garden i. complete without them.

- \*\*Acre (Golden Moss). Low. Green foliage. Yellow flowers in June. 3 in.
  \*\*Album. Dwarf, spreading. Thick, heavy foliage. White flowers. 3 to 5 in.
  \*\*Anglicum. Very dwarf. Light green foliage. White flowers. 2 to 3 in.
  \*\*Kamtschaticum. Orange-yellow flowers. Low green foliage. 5 to 8 in.
  \*\*I ydium. Deep reddish green foliage. Yellow flow-

- \*\*Lydium. Deep reddish green foliage. Yellow flowers. 3 to 5 in.
- \*\*Rupestre forsterianum. Pretty bluish green foli-age with golden yellow flowers. 3 to 5 in.
- \*\*Sexangulare. Similar to Acre, but with darker green foliage. 3 to 5 in.
  \*\*Spectabile. Immense heads of handsome, showy
- pink flowers in September. Heavy light green foliage. Fine for rockery, borders and along drive-ways. 18 in.

#### CHOICEST STANDARD VARIETIES OF PERENNIALS, continued

SEDUM, continued

**\*\*Spurium.** Rosy crimson flowers. Evergreen leaves. The earliest grown and fine for very dry, sunny places.

\*\*Stoloniferum. Evergreen leaves. Purplish pink flowers. 6 to 8 in.

SPECIAL COLLECTION: One each of above 10 Sedums, \$1.75

### Sempervivum (House-leek)

Very fine succulent rock- and wall-plants with rosette-like, thick, fleshy leaves. Grows in very dry places.

\*\*Alberti. Intense green rosettes. \*\*Arachnoideum. Silvery threads on tips of leaves, like cobwebs. \*\*Fimbriatum. Dark green foliage, with threads like

 \*\*Globiferum. Bark green tonage, with threads like
 \*\*Globiferum. Roundish, light green rosettes.
 \*\*Tectorum (Hen and Chickens). Broad rosettes, with leaves having reddish brown tips. Flowers pale red.

# SPECIAL COLLECTION: Two each of above 5 Sempervivums, \$1.75

- **\*\*Shives.** Fine purple heads in June and July. **\*\*Silene schafta** (Catchfly)! Masses of pink flowers
- \*Spiræa filipendula. Fine, fern-like leaves which last all winter. White flowers in July. 18 in.
  Spiræa ulmaria plena (Goats-beard). Beautiful white flowers in June. 3 ft.
- \*Stachys lanata. Soft silver foliage. Very pretty. 5 to 10 in.

\*Statice. Valuable plant with large, leathery leaves, having pale white markings.
\*Sweet William. Fine old-fashioned flower in all colors. 6 to 12 in.

- Thalictrum adiantifolium (Meadow Rue). Fine maidenhair-fern-like foliage and small white flowers. 2 to 3 ft.
- \*\*Thymus citriodorus. Green foliage. Prostrate,
- \*\*Thymus chrodorus. Green foliage. Prostrate, creeping. Flowers yellowish pink. 3 in.
   \*\*Thymus lanuginosus. Woolly foliage. Flat, prostrate. Pink flowers. 2 in.
   \*\*Thymus vulgaris. Deep green, prostrate foliage.
- Tradescantia virginiana (Spiderwort). Blue, bell-shaped flowers all summer. 2 ft.
   Trollius, Orange Globe (Globe-Flower). Orange-wallow butterson bits flowers in Marco 1.

- Irollius, Orange Globe (Globe-Flower). Orange-yellow, buttercup-like flowers in May and later. 18 in. Large clumps, 50 cts. each.
  \*\*Tunica saxifraga (Coat-Flower). Pretty tufty plants. Light pink flowers all summer. 6 to 10 in.
  Valeriana officinalis (Hardy Garden Heliotrope). Showy heads of rose-tinted white flowers in June and July, with delightful strong heliotrope odor. Loves wet and shady places. 2 to 3 ft.
  \*Veronica incana (Speedwell). Leaves woolly. Beautiful blue spikes. 10 in.
- Beautiful blue spikes. 10 in.
   \*\*Veronica rupestris. Deep green leaves. Prostrate habit. Covered in June with bright blue flowers. 3 to 4 in.

Veronica spicata. Long spikes of blue flowers in

- Veronica spicata. Long spikes of blue flowers in July. 1 to 2 ft.
  \*\*Vinca minor (Trailing Myrtle). Fine evergreen carpet and ground-cover plants. Blue flowers. 5 to 6 in. 20 cts. each, \$12.00 per 100.
  \*\*Viola cornuta, Jersey Gem. New. Very dwarf, with pure dark violet flowers from early spring to late fall. 5 to 8 in. 20 cts. each, \$12.00 per 100.
  \*\*Viola cornuta, Papiola. A most prolific bloomer. Very light violet flowers all season. 4 to 6 in.
  \*\*Viola cornuta, Perfection. Large, light blue flowers all summer. 10 to 12 in.
  \*\*Viola odorata, Prince of Wales (English Fragrant Violet). Rich deep purple. Delightfully sweet-scented. 5 in.
  Yucca filamentosa. Most exquisite plants with

- - Yucca filamentosa. Most exquisite plants with long, spiky leaves and white flowers. 2-yr. plants only.



### Better Gladiolus

We are growing the best 12 new and old varieties of Gladiolus, but are keeping this assortment up to date, making it the finest to be had at any price, considering the wonderful range of colors and large bulbs. Ruffled varieties are also included.

Albana. One of the finest whites. Alice Tiplady. Orange-saffron. Ruffled.

Dr. F. E. Bennett. New. Fiery scarlet. E. J. Shaylor. Deep rose-pink.

Ruffled.

Evelyn Kirtland. Rosy pink, throat blotched. Giant Nymph. Soft pink, yellow throat. Joe Coleman. Bright red. Fine. Ruffled. Mary Pickford. Creamy white, sulphur throat. Mrs. Dr. Norton. Silvery white to deep pink. Mrs. H. E. Bothin. Salmon-pink, scarlet center. Mrs. Leon Douglas. Salmon-pink, striped flame. Souvenir. A most superb deep yellow.

All Gladiolus, 10 cts. each, 80 cts. for 10, \$6.00 per 100 Mixed, in above varieties, 70 cts. for 10, \$5.00 per 100 SPECIAL OFFER: Five each of above 12 varieties, \$4.00

## Geranium, Karen Buus

An entirely new type of Geranium of our own production, and something absolutely distinct. It is a duction, and something absolutely distinct. It is a dazzling bright red, with curled and twisted petals about one-eighth inch wide and up to 1 inch long, making immense flowers as much as 2 inches across or more. The whole appearance of the flower is not unlike a poinsettia. Beautiful, distinct leaves. Strong plants from  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -in. pots, 75 cts. each, \$2.00 for 3; from  $4\frac{1}{2}$ -in. pots, \$1.25 each, \$3.00 for 3.



Geranium, Karen Buus

J. Horace McFarland Company, Horticultural Printers

PRINTED IN U.S.A.



# Thomsen Nursery Company

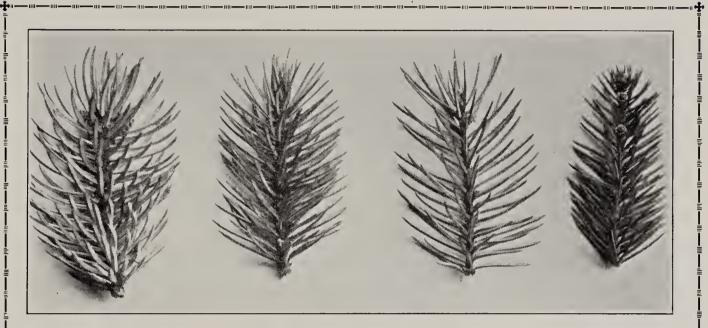
GROWERS OF NEW AND RARE PLANTS

MANSFIELD, PA.

# WHOLESALE PRICE LIST FOR SPRING, 1932

Again this winter we have added to our assortment new varieties of exceptional value to American gardens. Send us your order now while the supply is complete, and make money. Act TODAY! DON'T DELAY!

## USUAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS—BOXING AT COST



NEW THOMSEN

MOERHEIMI

KOSTERS

COLORADO BLUE

### NEW THOMSEN BLUE SPRUCE

This is our marvelous introduction this winter. It surpasses by far the Kosters and Moerheim Blue Spruce in having much heavier foliage, and a most intense, dazzling, silver blue color and grows to a perfect compact specimen without trimming. There is no question that this splendid variety will replace Kosters and Moerheimi Blue Spruce, when sufficient stock is available. We are pleased to offer you from our first two year's propagation for YOUR propagation, grafts for early spring delivery. However in safeguarding our many customers, as our supply is limited, no order will be filled for more than 25 plants to each buyer.

	Lach	1 cn
GRAFTED PLANTS, 2-4 Inches	_\$1.00	\$9.00
GRAFTED PLANTS, 4-8 Inches	\$1.75	\$15.00 <b>■</b>
	_φ1ο	φ <b>r0</b> ι00

	Per Ten	<b>Per 100</b>
MOERHEIMI BLUE SPRUCE, Winter 1931 Grafts	\$5.00	\$40.00
KOSTERS BLUE SPRUCE, Grafts 4-8 Inches	\$3.50	\$25.00
JUNIPER VIRG. GLAUCA, Grafts 8-12 Inches	\$3.00	\$25.00
JUNIPER BURKII, Grafts 6-12 Inches	\$3.00	\$25.00
JUNIPER MEYERI, Grafts 6-10 Inches	\$4.50	\$35.00
TAXUS CUSPIDATA, Cutting From 2¼ Inch Pots	\$1.00	<b>\$ 8.00</b>
JUNIPER HORIZONTALIS GLAUCA, From 2 Inch Pots	\$1.25	\$10.00
JUNIPER PFITZERIANA, From 2 and 2¼ Inch Pots	\$1.50	\$12.00
CORNUS FLORIDA RUBRA, Grafts 8-12 Inches	\$3.00	\$25.00
ACER DISSECTUM ATROPURPUREA, Grafts 8-12 Inches	\$4.00	\$35.00
ACER PALMATUM ATROPURPUREA, Grafts 8-12 Inches	\$3.50	\$25.00
HEMLOCK SEEDLINGS, 3-6 Inches; per M \$15.00	.50	\$ 2.00
HEMLOCK SEEDLINGS, 6-12 Inches; per M \$20.00		\$ 3.00
PACHYSANDRA TERMINALIS, per M \$50.00		\$_6.00

### NEW BUDDLEIA ALTERNIFOLIA

This splendid NEW SHRUB is the hardiest Butterfly Bush yet introduced, as it does not freeze down like other Buddleias. A rare Gem of China. A charming and distinct sight with its long arching branches, from mid-summer until late fall.

Prices and sizes same as Kozkwitzig Amabilis

### KOLWITZIA AMABILIS (New Beauty Bush)

This beautiful new shrub is so well known that it needs no description.

10	100	1000
Strong Plants, From 2 Inch Pots; Winter Rested\$1.25	\$ 7.50	\$ 65.00
Strong Frames, Rooted; Winter Rested Plants	\$ 4.50	\$ 35.00
Strong Field Grown Plants, 12-18 Inches\$3.50	\$25.00	\$200.00
Strong Field Grown Plants, 18-24 Inches\$4.00	\$30.00	
Strong Field Grown Plants, 2-3 Feet\$5.00	\$40.00	

	Per 10
CORNUS FLORIDA RUBRA (Red Flowering Dogwood) 3-4 Feet	_\$13.50
CORNUS WELCHII (Red Flowering Varg. Leaved Dogwood) 3 Feet	$_{-}$ \$17.50
FLOWERING CRAB SCHNEIDEKERI, HALLEANA, FLORIBUNDA ATROSAN	-
GUINEA; 3-4 Feet, per 10 \$3.50; per 100 \$30.00; 4-6 Feet per 10 \$4.50; pcr 100	\$40.00
Cornus Pan.—Snowberry, Spirea Van Houtte; Tart.—Honyesuckle, Cydonia Ja	ponica,
Deutzia and other varieties; 3-4 feet10 \$2.00; 100	\$18.00
Weigelia Eva Ratchka (Rooted) Cutting From Frames100 \$3.00; 1000	\$20.00

	Per 10	Per 100
Norway Spruce, 8 Year, XXXBxB; 12-18"	\$ 3.50	\$ 25.00
Norway Spruce, 8 Year, XXXBxB; 18-24"	\$ 4.50	\$ 35.00
Norway Spruce, 8 Year, XXXxB; 2-3'	\$ 5.50	\$ 50.00
Norway Spruce, 8 Year, XXXBxB; 3-4'	\$ 9.00	\$ 80.00
Hemlock Canadian, 8 Year, XXBxB; 12-18"	\$ 6.00	\$ 50.00
Hemlock Canadian, 8 Year, XXBxB; 18-24"	\$10.00	\$ 90.00
Hemlock Canadian, 8 Year, XXBxB; 2-3'	\$13.50	\$120.00
Hemlock Canadian, 8 Year, XXBxB; 3-4'	\$20.00	\$190.00

## HARDY PERENNIALS AND ROCKERY PLANTS

Burbanks New Everblooming Poppy\$4.00	\$30.00
Olympia Poppy, New Double\$2.50	\$15.00
Cotula Squalida (For Stepping Paths)\$4.00	\$30.00
Gypsophylla Bristol Fairy Grafts\$2.00	\$12.00
Corydalis Cheilanthifolia (Rare Rock Plants)\$3.50	\$30.00

# FOLLOWING 75c PER 10-\$6.00 PER 100

ARTEMESIA SILVER KING	PHLOX, MISS LINGARD
ANSHUSA ITALICA DROPMORE	*PHLOX SUBULATA
ACHILLE BOULE de NEIGE	*NEPETA MUSSINI
ACHILLE MILLIMIFOLIA	*SEDUM ACRES
*ACHILLE TOMENTOSA (Pot Grown	) *SEDUM ALBA
NEW KOREAN CHRYSANTHEMUM	*SEDUM PRUNIATUM FORST.
*DIANTHUS PLUMARIS	<b>*SEDUM SPECTABILIS</b>
*ERINUS ALPINA	*SEDUM SPUREUM
HOLLYHOCK, NEW HYBIRDS	*SHIVES
PACHYSANDRA TERMINALIS	*SEMPERVIRUM
PHLOX ECLAIREUR	<b>*THYMUS CITROIDES</b>
*—Varieties Rockery Plants.	All Stock Field Grown.

Mansfield, Pa., Jan. 20, 1932

Dear Customer:

It is a great pleasure to present this catalogue to you with my FREE GIFT offer.

I am sure you will find it helpful in selecting some of those unusual NEW and rare hardy flowers, found only in the better gardens, gathered from the world's most flowerloving countries and extremely scarce.

The two varieties of Japanese Bloodleaf Maple, New Beauty Bush, New Butterfly Bush, and Daphne Mezerium are unexcelled (page 6).

THE NEW THOMSEN BLUE SPRUCE, never offered before, is our own marvelous introduction this year (page 10). I guarantee you never in your whole lifetime have seen a bluer and more beautiful Blue Spruce. Turning to the next page are the Azalea and Rhododendron, just coming into their own, but remember, they want plenty of humus or peat and acid soil.

Oriental Flowering Crab, Red Flowering Dogwood, Cornus Welchii and Japanese Magnolia (page 12-13) are real aristocrats of flowering trees in gardens and parks.

Our famous Hybrid Delphineum are unexcelled (page 15), such as Advancement, Pink, Glory of Mansfield, Cream, Summer Cloud, White, etc.

Back of this letter you will find some mighty nice varieties, just added to our list this winter. See page 2 for Special Offers.

As my special FREE GIFT to you, I will add three choice Peonies, regularly 75c each, to your order of \$9.95 or more, if you send it NOW, postmarked not later than 10 days after this letter. We have only a few hundred to give away, better send your order now, TODAY. Don't delay. Very truly yours,

Anhann

MT:K

General Manager

# New Plants From This Winter

Cactus opuntia fragilis, 4 inches. Yellow flowers. Hardy. Native of Wisconsin.

Cactus optuntia raffinesquii. Large leaves, yellow flowers. 5-8 inches. Hardy. Native of Wisconsin.

- Lilium Phillipinense formosuanum. Graceful trumpet shaped white flowers, shaded reddish. Two feet. Price 35c each. All 3 for \$1.00.
- Azalea Geheimrat Gneist. Beautiful European introduction, where it won many prizes. Color wine red. 2 year old plants, 3-6 in. 65c
- Azalea Yodogava. Deep purple double. Very rare. 2 year old. 4-8 inches. Each 65c.

Azalea Mollis. Flame. 3 year old. 4-18 in. Each 50 cents. One each of all 3 varieties, \$150.

Rhododendron carolineaum. Deep pink. 12-18 inches.

Rhododendron catawbience. Purple. 12-18 inches.

Rhododendron maximum. Whitish pink, 12-18 inches. Mail size, 50c each. All 3 for \$1.25.

Red Flowering Dogwood. Very beautiful. Grafted plants: 6-12 inches. \$1.00 each.

Red flowering variegata leaved Dogwood. Very rare. Grafted plants. 5-10 inches. Each \$1.50.

Juniper virg. pendula. A very rare beautiful weeping variety. Grafted plants. 6-12 iches. Supply very limited. Price each \$1.50.

Juniper sqq, meyeri. Very striking. Blue and of irregular growth. Grafted plants. 6-12 inches. 75c each.

Juniper Burkii. Upright growth. Blue foliage. Grafted plants. 75c ea. Juniper horizontalis glauca. Rare creeping, blue variety for rock garden. 3-5 inches. 50c each.

One each of above 4 varieties \$3.00.

Juniper depressa plumosa. Trailing, bluish foliage.

Juniper prostrata. Trailing, dark green foliage.

Juniper Irish. Narrow upright. Intense green.

Juniper excelsa stricta. Heavy pyramidal. Bluish. Japanese Yew. Spreading dark green.

Strong plants from pots, 4-10 inches. Darlings for Rock Gardens. Two each, 10 PLANTS, for \$1.95.

ADD 20 CENTS FOR POSTAGE AND PACKING.

Purple and Gold

Gold Bound

Shekinah

Ambassadeur

# Collection

2 each of above 6 varieties Special Offer



Regular price \$5.10

Princess Beatrice

Seminole



This picture shows how you may turn your home into a fairyland of flowers. Note the beautiful and yet reasonably priced foundation planting of Shrubs; also the attractive Lily-Pool and Perennial Border in the foreground, giving the appearance of a real home—a home you will be proud to own. Our Landscape Department is always ready to assist you in making your home beautiful with trees, and flowers, and we can always select varieties on priced as to here within the limits of

Our Landscape Department is always ready to assist you in making your home beautiful with trees, shrubs, and flowers, and we can always select varieties so priced as to keep within the limits of your budget. If you allow our Landscape Department to assist you, you will avoid mistakes in beautifying your home, and, without doubt, save expense and time, as we will suggest only what you need. Write or phone us—we will gladly give you suggestions and estimates without obligation on your part, and, if located within a reasonable distance from our Nursery, we will call at your home to give such suggestions. Remember, therefore, write or phone us today.

Thomsen Nursery Co. + Artistic Landscape Gardening + Mansfield, Pa.